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TO: All facilities possessing radioactive materials in the state of Missouri

FROM: Missouri Radiation Control Program

SUBJECT: Final Transfer of Regulatory Authority of all Radioactive Materials to

the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC)

Effective today, virtually all radioactive materials in use at medical and industrial facilities in Missouri come under the full and sole regulatory jurisdiction of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission. You were informed that this change was taking place by letters in November 2006, and July 2007. This final letter is to announce that the transition is now in effect.

- If you already possessed an NRC license for some of your materials, you have six (6) months to contact the NRC and amend your license to add the materials previously registered with our Department.
- If you possess radioactive material that heretofore was registered <u>only</u> with our Department, and you have not had an NRC license, you have twelve (12) months to contact the NRC and apply for a new license.

If you possess any non-exempt quantities of radioactive materials, you must apply for or amend the NRC license to be in compliance with federal law.

Our Department will continue to register and inspect radiation-producing machines that do not contain radioactive sources. For any further questions, information, or regulatory action with regard to radioactive materials, contact the NRC office below:

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